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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 09/669,969

Applicants: William Henry Pettit

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Title: MULTI STAGE COMBUSTION PROCESS TO MAINTAIN A  
CONTROLLABLE REFORMATION TEMPERATURE PROFILE

Art Unit: 1745

Examiner: Martin, Angela J.

Attorney Docket No. H-203484

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE  
NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)**

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed February 15, 2005, and is a response to the Office Action of October 8, 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**There are no Amendments to the Specification in this paper.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in the application, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**There are no Amendments to the Drawings in this paper.**

**There are no Amendments to the Abstract in this paper**

**Remarks/Arguments** began on page 13 of this paper.